



SOUTHERN PACIFIC AGE GROUP WATER POLO LEAGUE 2001

- Deadline for Entry Form = Aug.31, 2001
- Coaches meet = Sept.6, 2001
- League Play = Sept.15 to Oct.22, 2001
- CHAMPIONSHIP ENTRIES DUE = Oct.17, 2001
 - Please send by Mail, Fax or E-mail - No Phone Calls
- Seeding & Verification Meeting = Oct.22, 2001
- CHAMPIONSHIPS = LONG BEACH STATE
Oct.27-28 & Nov.3-4, 2001
- USWP Registration
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SPA AGE GROUP WATER POLO LEAGUE

Team Leaders & Coaches:

Enclosed you will find the entry form, rules, and team roster for the upcoming Age Group Water Polo Season. USWP registration forms are available on the USWP webpage, www.usawaterpolo.com. Click on membership and then 2001 registration form.

Entry forms are due August 31st. ***No late entries*** - please get them in on time! Players may be added after the season begins. Entry forms are needed on time in order to know the number of teams and age group entries to make up the schedule.

Both the TEAM ROSTERS for each team you enter and USWP REGISTRATION FORMS AND FEES for each player are due AT THE COACHES MEETING. If we do not have a team roster and USWP registration forms your team will not be able to play until we receive them. You may make additional copies of the enclosed team roster form. *If you need USWP registration Forms see above.* Please do not mail your registration forms to the National Office. Bring them to the coaches meeting. If you have any questions on this please call me.

PLEASE NOTE

Once again I would suggest that you appoint a parent to handle registration and verification for you.

DEADLINES & TIME SCHEDULE:

Deadline for Entry Forms:	August 31 st (Fri.)
Coaches Meeting and Deadline for Team Rosters & USWP Registrations:	September 6 th (Thurs.)
League Play:	September 15 - Oct. 22 (6 weeks)
CHAMPIONSHIP ENTRYS DUE:	October 17 th (Wed.)
Seeding & Verification Meeting:	October 22 nd (Mon.)
Championships:	October 27-28 & Nov. 3-4
Questions:	Contact - Mary Sprague 714-637-2879

Let's have a great season

SPA AGE GROUP WATER POLO LEAGUE - RULES

1. The fee per team will be \$100 per team for the season (Championships \$50 forfeit fee per SPA RULE)
2. The season will run from September 15th through October 22nd.
3. Player's age will be as of December 31, 2001.
4. To be eligible for the final tournament, a player must have played in one-half of the scheduled league games.
5. Clubs must have a US Water Polo Charter; ALL players must be registered with USWP before playing any games.
6. Team rosters will be checked for eligibility of each player. IF TEAM ROSTERS ARE NOT TURNED IN ON TIME TEAM PLAYERS WILL NOT RECEIVE CREDIT FOR GAMES PLAYED.
7. It will be the responsibility of the home team to turn in the scoresheets by the Wednesday following the game. If scoresheets are not received it will be considered a forfeit by the home team.
8. During the Championships players can only play on one TEAM. Girls must play on Girls teams and Boys play on Boys teams.
9. During league games, players may be moved up, playing on both younger and older teams. A player may NOT play down an age group to play in a game unless the game is a forfeit and with the approval of the opposing coach. A player may play on a Maximum of two teams.
10. The home team must provide a QUALIFIED REFEREE for all league games.
11. Ties will not be played off in league games or in the championships.
12. Each team must have a QUALIFIED ADULT SCORER AND TIMER at the desk for all league games.
13. In the championships individual awards will be given to members of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd teams and 4th place teams when warranted.
14. An All Tournament team will be picked after the final game in each age group. The members of the All Tournament Team will receive individual certificates. Coaches who fail to turn in ballots forfeit the opportunity for players from their team from being placed on the All Tournament Team.
15. Quarters will be 5 minutes stop time for all age groups except 10 and Under Mixed: their quarters will be 4 minutes stop time. There shall be 1 time out per half. The ball will start at mid pool unless the ball was in the back court when the time out was called in which case the ball will start with the goalkeeper.
16. A 45-second shot clock will be used for the 10 and Under; all others will use a 35-second Shot clock.
17. No player may play in the age group league if they are in high school or equivalent.
18. Max. Of Two (2) Coaches plus team members on the Team bench during games.
19. If a Coach is given a RED CARD they are out of the tournament! The removed Coach may appeal to the Tournament Committee their removal from the tournament after the game ejection has been served!

LEAGUE PLAY: September 15th through October 22nd

CHAMPIONSHIPS: Oct. 27 -28 & Nov. 3-4

COACHES MEETING: September 6th: 7:00 (*ALL CLUB MUST BE REPRESENTED - TEAM ROSTERS AND USWP REGISTRATION DUE*)

MEETING LOCATION: Long Beach State Pool classroom

- From the 405 (San Diego) Freeway traveling north:
Exit on Palo Verde. Turn left. Turn right into Lot C and purchase a day permit.
- From the 405 (San Diego) Freeway traveling south:
Exit on Palo Verde. Turn right. Turn right into Lot C and purchase a day permit.
- There is no charge for parking on weekends.

CONTACT: Mary Sprague (714) 637-2879

SPA AGE GROUP WATER POLO LEAGUE - ENTRY FORM

CLUB NAME _____

TEAMS ENTERED:

10 & Under Mixed _____

12 & Under Boys _____

12 & Under Girls _____

14 & Under Boys _____

14 & Under Girls _____

ENTRY FEES:

_____ X \$100 per Team = _____
Number of Teams Total

CONTACT PERSON:NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ FAX _____

E-mail _____

COACH _____

MAIL: SPA AGE GROUP WATER POLO

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DEADLINE FOR ENTRY FORM & FEES: August 31st

● * * NO LATE ENTRIES * * *

SPA AGE GROUP WATER POLO LEAGUE - TEAM ROSTER

AGE GROUP _____

CLUB _____

CAP # NAME (Last name, First name)

USWP #

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COACHES NAME _____

PLAYERS MUST USE THE SAME CAP NUMBER FOR EVERY GAME!!! YOU MAY ADD PLAYERS AFTER THE SEASON BEGINS, Contact Mary Sprague (714) 637-2879
TEAM ROSTERS MUST BE TURNED IN AT COACHES MEETING ALONG WITH USWP REGISTRATION.